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Applicant(s):

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Application No.:

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Title: Novel Human Kinase Proteins and Polynucleotides Attorney Docket No.: LEX-0046-USA

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: Box Missing Parts

Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted" mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on December 7, 2000, Applicants submit the following documents to complete the filing requirements of the above-identified application:

- 1. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney; and
- 2. Return copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted.

Applicants also submit herewith the following document for the above-identified application:

- 3. Petition for Extension of Time of 2 months;
- 4. Request for Correction of Filing Receipt; and
- 5. Filing Receipt marked with corrections.

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3. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0892.

The documents submitted herewith complete the filing of the above patent application. This form is being submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT

Attn: Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center

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Sir:

Enclosed is a copy of the Filing Receipt for the above-captioned nonprovisional application, as corrected herein by Applicants. The filing receipt incorrectly lists the spelling of the name of one of the applicants. The inventors were correctly listed on the second and third pages of the Declaration and Power of Attorney as originally filed with the patent application, a copy of which is enclosed. Please correct the inventorship to read as follows:

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Glenn Friedrich, Houston, TX
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Please make the appropriate corrections and issue a Corrected Filing Receipt.

Applicants believe that no fee is due with this Request for Correction of Filing Receipt because the omission of inventor, omission of priority claim and incorret title reflects a PTO error. However, please charge any required fee to Lexicon Genetics Incorporated Deposit Account No.

50-0892, and please credit any refund to Lexicon Genetics Incorporated Deposit Account No. 50-0892. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprevisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the PTO processes the reply to the Notice, the PTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

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Novel human kinase proteins and polynucleotides encoding the same

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 345 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 410.

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